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50X1 1. an ammunition storage area outside of Karachev 25380N-3453E/.
50X1 was officially called the
50X1 28th Ordnance Depot (28-oy Artilleriyskiy Sklad), one of
50X1 the principal ordnance depots in the Soviet Union, and as such
50X1 was directly controlled by Moscow.

50X1 2. This depot was located about one or two kilometers north of
50X1 Karachev and covered an area of about four by 1 1/2 to two km.
50X1 it served as a storage
50X1 area, and as a place for assembling ammunition in sizes ranging
50X1 from rifle cartridges to 152 mm artillery shells. This same
50X1 depot was used by the Germans during their occupation of this
50X1 section, and was not damaged by war. there were
50X1 also underground stores of chemical goods and aerial bombs

50X1 3. In 1948
50X1 the area remained intact and was still being used for
50X1 ammunition assembly and storage purposes.

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